

Hunting Vies With Golf At the San Marcos As Sport For Guests

Hunting this past week came very nearly beating golf in popularity as an out-of-door sport with the masculine guests of the San Marcos, the leading sportsman among the ninety being Mr. Alexander B. Barrett of Los Angeles. Mr. Barrett is a veteran both with the shotgun and rifle, having hunted all over the West and the coast country, being a companion of Col. Roosevelt after big game in the Rockies and of Boies Penrose in the Canadian northwest.

This was the first time that Mr. Barrett had encountered our desert quail and found them lively and interesting. Mr. Barrett has been bagging the game law limit all week, dividing his spoils among his many friends at the hotel.

No feature of the social life at the San Marcos, Chandler, has been more popular than the weekly dinner dances, which have been enjoyed not only by the guests of the hotel but by society hostesses in Phoenix and

suburban towns, who made them occasions of very pleasant private parties of their own.

While Friday is the usual night for these dances, the first one of the season will be held next Tuesday, Dec. 20th. With a paved highway for the entire distance between Phoenix and Chandler there is every indication that this season the dances will be more popular than ever. Already many reservations for tables have been made for next Tuesday night. Following that, dances will be held each Friday night including one on December 30.

A specially enjoyable and well-arranged luncheon this past week at the San Marcos was that given by Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Chandler on Thursday in honor of Miss May Robinson, the other guests including Mr. and Mrs. Alexander B. Barrett of Los Angeles, A. C. Bartlett and Doyle E. Hinton, Lake Geneva, Wis., Miss Margaret Borough, New York; Miss Edith Conrad Rogers, Lakeland, Fla.; Winthrop G. Sneying and Russell Hicks, New York City.

Mrs. Paul Hensland of Phoenix was hostess at luncheon on Friday to Mrs. J. Thompson Graham, Mrs. C. F. Ainsworth and Miss Blanche Gorton of Lincoln, Neb.

A dinner party on Saturday included Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Eirohm of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Seltie of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Christy of Phoenix and Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Robinson of Chandler. Mr. Eirohm, who is superintendent of transportation of the Santa Fe system, was making his first visit to the Chandler country, and was much impressed with the future agricultural possibilities of the valley. Mr. Seltie, now general freight and passenger agent of the Santa Fe at St. Louis, who knew Chandler when it was in sage brush and mesquite, was equally enthusiastic over the country's development.

Hector Burness, Willie M. Griffin and C. E. Demerest of Fresno and F. H. Wilson of Dimba, Calif., who were here looking into the possibilities in grape culture, with J. D. Detweiler, C. H. Rittenhouse and Edward F. Parker of Phoenix, were luncheon guests on Monday.

A Sunday dinner party included Miss Edna Polson, Mrs. E. H. Brown, R. M. Philco, A. E. Miller and Wm. D. Holt of Phoenix.

Mrs. Charles Sumner Kent of Los Angeles, and Dr. F. C. MacPherson were visitors at the San Marcos on Thursday, with Miss Harmer of Miss Robinson's company as their guest.

Among the arrivals on Sunday were F. L. Dunne, Duval Dunne, Miss A. M. Dunne and Miss Loomis of Boston, who have taken a bungalow for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Siddall of Cleveland were arrivals on Tuesday.

Other recent arriving guests are: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bissett, Phoenix; Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Patterson, Kearney, Neb.; R. E. Downing, Tulsa, Okla.; Mrs. A. S. Dunham, Phoenix; Geo. Benwick, Los Angeles; E. C. Williams, New York; G. P. Novitt, Phoenix; Geo. Archer, Jr.

SCOTTSDALE TO HAVE JUSTICE OF PEACE

SCOTTSDALE, Dec. 17.—At the farm bureau meeting last night the committee composed of Charles Miller, Mr. Smith and Dr. Bishop, who have been working for separate precinct for this district, reported favorably on it. The board of supervisors has created a Scottsdale precinct which will include the following territory: East of Scottsdale to a point three miles east of the Verde river, north of Scottsdale, five miles south to Salt river, and west to the road just west of the old cross cut canal. It will appoint a constable and justice of the peace soon to have office at Scottsdale. The committee is to be complimented on their work, for the officers have been badly needed in this district.

M. B. Horowitz, delegate from this district to the county dairy organization reported much progress is being made in organizing and increasing the usefulness of that organization and within a short time it will be very strong.

Mr. Sandage of the agricultural department outlined a plan for an agricultural short course week the second week of January and it was voted to have it and many agree to attend it.

Dr. Bishop reported on the paved road work and he said that the county road commissioners have gone on record that the first road to be paved out of the new bonds would be the Scottsdale road.

B. J. Showers, treasurer of the Arizona Pima cotton growers' association, gave an interesting report on the progress the association has made and what it hopes to do. He stated that plans were being made to secure money to finance the growing of this year's crops and as soon as something definite is known statements will be sent out. Every grower is urged to plant none but pure selected seed for already adverse reports are coming back from the east on some of the cotton that growers who have planted gin seed sent there.

Twelve boys went to Goodyear Saturday with their agricultural instructor to buy pigs for the club that was started this week. The boys had the pick of a large number of registered Duroc-Jersey pigs weighing about 25 pounds each. The Goodyear company will give a registered boar free to the boy raising the best pig and the competition will be keen.

among the pork raisers. Several girls are in the club. The following are the members at present: Will Miller, John Gower, Joe Morey, H. Collins, Wida Wickware, Herbert Sutton, Herbert Rhodes, Leslie Sullivan, Merle Miller, Robert Adams, Arthur Stewart and Albert Adams. Pigs were also bought by several other people from this district Saturday.

Mr. Rhodes and family moved to Glendale yesterday. His son Herbert was one of the students in the local pig club.

The boys in farm shop work have completed all the frames for the scenery for the play "Aaron Slick From Punks Creek" that is to be given by the local Parent-Teacher association Friday night. They have also completed the footlights for the stage.

The effect produced by the red and purple lights is soft but sufficient for good acting.

F. A. Rich and family held a reunion and picnic at Granite Reef Sunday. About 50 of their friends attended the outing.

Ray Newell arrived from Nebraska Thursday and will be employed by Walter Donn of this district.

G. N. Loomis has had men busy the past week cutting the tall eucalyptus trees on the west side of his orange grove. The trees have shaded the citrus trees to such an extent that the loss of several hundred boxes of oranges resulted.

Miss Leota Kahle and Miss Jewel Wiley were Phoenix visitors yesterday on business.

Gordon Goodwin, teacher of sixth and seventh grades, who was operated on for tonsillitis Sunday, has improved to such an extent that he was able to be removed from the Mesa hospital to his home in Tempe.

The revival meetings being conducted by the Rev. Carl Bassett will continue for the rest of the week and Sunday. After Sunday he will conduct a series of meetings in Tempe.

The high school English class, under the supervision of Principal Duross, has been rehearsing the play "The Lion Tamer" to be given the last part of the Christmas holidays and good progress is being made.

The Creighton basketball team invaded Scottsdale Wednesday and divided honors with the grade teams. The local girls beat the Creighton girls 12 to 7 while the second team boys dropped a game to the Creighton boys 24-13. Both teams played fast games.

The girls in the sewing classes have been making sox dolls for their younger sisters the past week.

Basketball sox arrived for the girls' team this week and they add much to the attractiveness of the suits.

The agricultural class spent the week in the study of wheat and other cereal crops.

The Scottsdale cafe was formally opened Monday under the management of Mrs. Clara Boyer. Private tables are part of the equipment, so that family dinners can be served. The opening of this modern cafe is a decided improvement to the business section of the town.

J. H. Wickware has been delivering his sweet potato crop to Phoenix dealers. He has some of the best potatoes in the valley, having won some ribbons on them at the last fair.

A. R. Lewis and family have moved to their ranch in the Paradise valley district.

Little Elsa Scotts was knocked down and run over by a horse driven by Elizabeth Merkle just as school closed Thursday. She was injured slightly in the fall but the wheels of the buggy did not cause internal injury, as thought at first, and she will be able to attend school next week.

The city water department of Phoenix has had a force of men busy the past week putting in a spillway from the water main from the Verde river to the new cross cut canal. Several other minor improvements have been made on the line in this vicinity.

LATE HAPPENINGS IN GILA BEND DISTRICT

GILA BEND, Dec. 15.—The family of A. A. Wright has arrived in Gila Bend from Phoenix, where they have been residing since leaving this town a year ago. Mr. Wright has been back for some time.

Enrique Castaneda has returned from Torreon, Mexico, where with his wife and children he has been visiting Mrs. Castaneda's parents. Mr. Castaneda reports things quiet down there and industrial conditions slowly improving. Mrs. Castaneda and the children will remain in Torreon a few weeks longer.

Mrs. J. C. Crowley of Gila Bend is critically ill in Los Angeles.

The two old buildings across the street from Boyer's meat market, which were formerly used for a Mexican pool room and restaurant, are being remodeled and consolidated into an office building.

A crew of men is clearing land on the Gillespie property about ten miles up the river road from Gila Bend.

W. D. Perkins was in Tucson Sunday.

Irrigation water in the main canal of the Gillespie project has reached a point about 10 miles out from Gila Bend. The James canal, an auxiliary of the main ditch, has been tried out with a limited supply of water.

A lecture on prison work and reform was given by Miss Stella Martin at the school house Wednesday. Her talk was exceedingly interesting.

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